

Sean J. Stackley, Assistant Secretary of the Navy (Research, Development and Acquisition); and Richard W. Lombardi, Acting Assistant Secretary of the Air Force (Acquisition).

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee On Foreign Affairs: Full Committee held a markup on H.R. 1797, the “End Neglected Tropical Diseases Act”; H.R. 3662, the “Iran Terror Finance Transparency Act”; and H.R. 4314, the “Counterterrorism Screening and Assistance Act of 2016”. The following bills were ordered reported, as amended: H.R. 4314 and H.R. 1797. H.R. 3662 was ordered reported, without amendment.

TRANSPORTATION SECURITY ACQUISITION REFORM ACT: EXAMINING REMAINING CHALLENGES

Committee on Homeland Security: Subcommittee on Transportation Security held a hearing entitled “Transportation Security Acquisition Reform Act: Examining Remaining Challenges”. Testimony was heard from Steven Wallen, Director, Explosives Division, Science and Technology Directorate, Department of Homeland Security; Jill Vaughan, Assistant Administrator, Office of Security Technologies, Transportation Security Administration, Department of Homeland Security; Michele Mackin, Director, Office Acquisition and Sourcing Management, Government Accountability Office; and a public witness.

DOCUMENT PRODUCTION STATUS UPDATE

Committee on Oversight and Government Reform: Full Committee held a hearing entitled “Document Production Status Update”. Testimony was heard from Julia Frifield, Assistant Secretary, Bureau of Legislative Affairs, Department of State; Jason Levine, Director, Office of Congressional, Legislative, and Intergovernmental Affairs, Office of Personnel Management; Peter J. Kadzik, Assistant Attorney General for Legislative Affairs, Department of Justice;

Tamara Fucile, Associate Director for Legislative Affairs, Office of Management and Budget; and Tia Johnson, Assistant Secretary, Office of Legislative Affairs, Department of Homeland Security.

ATTENTION NEEDED: MISMANAGEMENT AT THE SBA—THE ADMINISTRATOR RESPONDS

Committee on Small Business: Full Committee held a hearing entitled “Attention Needed: Mismanagement at the SBA—The Administrator Responds”. Testimony was heard from Maria Contreras-Sweet, Administrator, Small Business Administration.

BUSINESS MEETING

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence: Full Committee held a business meeting to consider a Member access request. The request for access to certain Committee documents made by Representative Thompson of California was granted.

Joint Meetings

No joint committee meetings were held.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR FRIDAY, JANUARY 8, 2016

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

No meetings/hearings scheduled.

House

Committee on Armed Services, Subcommittee on Readiness, hearing entitled “Effects of Reduced Infrastructure and Base Operating Support Investments on Navy Readiness”, 8 a.m., 2118 Rayburn.

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology, Subcommittee on Research and Technology; and Subcommittee on Oversight, joint hearing entitled “Cyber Security: What the Federal Government Can Learn from the Private Sector”, 9 a.m., 2318 Rayburn.

Next Meeting of the SENATE

2 p.m., Monday, January 11

Senate Chamber

Program for Monday: After the transaction of any morning business (not to extend beyond 5 p.m.), Senate will begin consideration of the nomination of Luis Felipe Restrepo, of Pennsylvania, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Third Circuit, with a vote on confirmation of the nomination, at approximately 5:30 p.m.

Next Meeting of the HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

9 a.m., Friday, January 8

House Chamber

Program for Friday: Consideration of H.R. 1927—Fairness in Class Action Litigation Act of 2015 (Subject to a Rule).

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